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ARE OFFERING THIS WEEK THE BALANCE OF THEIR

PARASOLS

at **1/3** former prices.

AND TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JUNE 24,
THREE SPECIAL LOTS AT

\$1.35, \$1.75, and \$2.00.

18TH STREET, 19TH STREET, AND SIXTH AVENUE.
(18th Street Station Elevated Road.)

MORE TROUBLE FOR M'GOWAN

The Notorious Harbor Policeman
a Tomba Court Prisoner.

Policeman Francis H. McGowan, of the Steamboat Squad, is again in trouble. He is accused of assaulting a fellow officer, Michael F. Cregan, by hitting a pot of coffee at him, scolding him about the boat, and hitting his finger.

The row occurred Saturday night on the police boat patrol.

It is hinted that the quarrel was the result of a rivalry between the two for the affection of a pretty Fourth Ward girl, who is named by McGowan, who says that he has all he can do to support his parents. His father was stricken with paralysis a few weeks ago and is entirely helpless.

This is the third time that McGowan has gotten into hot water. March 2 last the patrol was cruising in the North River, when a cry of "man overboard" went up. McGowan was seen struggling in the water.

He was rescued and sent to the Chambers Street Hospital. The police surgeon declared him insane, but the hospital physicians pronounced him mentally sound. He was charged with attempting suicide, but on his own statement that it was an accident he was discharged.

April 6 he was charged by Saloon-keeper Paul Roth, of 215 Houston street, with blackmail. The saloon-keeper said that McGowan, dressed in citizen's clothes, came into his place about 5 o'clock. It had been a day of rain and McGowan was dripping with rain.

McGowan swore that he had lost his shield, and that on the Sunday in question he had attended a funeral and gone to Calvary Cemetery. Other witnesses corroborated his testimony. He was discharged in the Police Court, but when he was brought before the Police Commissioners a hand in the pocket, and McGowan took a charge of assault.

After spending the night in the Church street police station, he was taken to the Tombs and held in \$1,000 bail for examination.

McGowan lives in Oak street, near New Chambers street, where he was seen by an Evening World reporter this morning.

The story that I was drunk is a deliberate falsehood. I just took a drink of beer any liquor for over a year. If Capt. Hooker or anybody else saw me come on board drunk, why didn't they arrest me?

The alleged assault on Cregan was merely an accident. He sat next to me at the table. I called for the coffee-pot, and when I was in the act of pouring out some coffee when I was struck on the forehead with an onion. I was so startled that I dropped the coffee-pot, and it struck Cregan.

The men grabbed me and hustled me before the sergeant; then I was handcuffed and locked up in the Church street station on a charge of assault.

Cregan says I hit him. Before I did I saw it. My mistake was made Saturday night after the trouble. His finger was done up, and he said he had been struck with the coffee-pot. He said nothing about being bitten.

There is a clone down on the boat that wants to see me out of the way. I don't like to see me in trouble, for what reason I do not know.

STANBURY BEATS O'CONNOR.

The Canadian Oarsman Worsted on the Paramatta Course.

STANBURY, N. Y., June 23.—Stanbury, the New South Wales oarsman, defeated O'Connor, the Canadian champion, today, in a sculling match on the Paramatta River.

FINE WASH FABRICS.

We have now on sale several hundred pieces of French Satens, finest quality and most desirable patterns of this season's goods, in 1, 2 and 3 colors, at 15, 19 and 25 cents per yard. We have also marked down our Novelty Zephyrs to 19, 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents per yard.

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COLLEGE OARS AT NEW LONDON

The Probable Programme for the
Week's Racing.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. NEW LONDON, Conn., June 23.—Capt. Bob Cook arrived last evening and proceeded at once up river to Yale's quarters on the launch. A crowd of Yalemen on board the craft welcomed his coming with a cheer. Yale is now happier.

Yesterday was a genuine day of rest, and the aspirants for aquatic honors thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to loaf and unite their souls on the banks of the Thames in the superb weather.

Everybody who was well has remained well, and the three men of the Cornell Varsity crew who were a bit in condition are picking up fast.

Capt. Benedict will probably resume his place in the boat to-day.

The dates for the various races this week, except that of the Yale-Harvard Varsity crew, have been wobbling around more or less since the first provisional announcement was made, but now appear to have settled into this fashion:

Thursday afternoon—Yale, Cornell and Columbia Freshmen, two miles.
Thursday afternoon—Cornell, University of Pennsylvania and Columbia Varsity, three miles.
Friday morning—Harvard and Columbia Varsity, four miles.

Friday afternoon—Harvard and Yale University, four miles.

The annual contest between Yale and Harvard is so near at hand that a glance at the records of previous years may be of interest.

The race of Friday next will be the third of the season, and the two colleges have rowed here, though the two colleges have been pitted against each other in twenty-one contests in all of which Harvard has won eleven and Yale ten.

Two years ago, in 1877, started a series of races with Columbia, and out of eight Harvard won six and Columbia two.

Lightning's FATAL WORK.

Lives Lost by Shock at Widely Separated Points.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. OMAHA, Neb., June 23.—Lightning, wind and rain played frightful havoc in and about this city last night.

R. A. Jacobson was killed and his wife and children were badly hurt by lightning which struck his house.

A team of horses was struck and killed in the street, and numerous buildings and trees bore the marks today of the electric fluid's visitation.

At South Omaha R. E. Kuhn's house was struck and burned.

Mrs. Kuhn and two children were rescued from the burning building in a state of insensibility, having been prostrated by the shock.

The Grand Central Hotel at South Omaha was unroofed by the wind and its cellar was flooded.

Many other cellars in various parts of the town were flooded, and the destruction of property was great.

OSKAY, Pa., June 23.—Word is received from Upper Prospect that Mrs. Patrick Stanton was struck by lightning last night and instantly killed.

Her husband and son were also shocked and probably fatally injured.

COUNTIES TO CHOOSE A BOSS.

Plans for Fence-Mending to Be Considered by the Leaders To-Night.

Now that the County Democrat has become something more than a federation of independent district organizations, the selection of a supreme boss of the united faction has become a question of great moment.

A conference of the several Assembly District leaders will be held in Cooper Union to-night, but it is said that no boss will then be chosen. The practice which has prevailed since the election of the new County Committee, of choosing a chairman temporarily, will be followed until the party, under the disciplinary clause in the constitution, shall thoroughly reorganize.

The leaders to-night will consider the question of strengthening the organization by retaining a permanent boss, or by electing a temporary one. The latter is the more popular, and they will also formulate "a bold and aggressive policy" to quote ex-Senator James D. Smith, who will be in the city.

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Police Justice Murray's Seventeenth District will be reorganized by the County Committee, and there are half a dozen candidates for the post.

Among them are Tommy Maher and ex-County Clerk Ginnel.

One of the County leaders said that such men as ex-Mayors Cregan and Cooper, who have been hanging on the outskirts of the organization, already ready to take the reins, when they were a chance of success, and equally ready to be counted as independent, will be asked to affiliate actively with the reorganized faction.

SUPPRESS THE VOLCANOES.

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